



## 98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### State of Illinois

2013 and 2014

SB3129

Introduced 2/7/2014, by Sen. Ira I. Silverstein

#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

20 ILCS 5010/10  
20 ILCS 5010/20  
20 ILCS 5010/30

Amends the Illinois Holocaust and Genocide Commission Act. Provides that the President and Minority Leader of the Senate shall each designate a member or former member of the Senate and the Speaker and Minority Leader of the House of Representatives shall each designate a member or former member of the House of Representatives to advise the Commission. Provides that upon the expiration of the terms of the initial members, the appointing authority may re-appoint initial members and sets forth the terms of those re-appointments. Provides that a representative under the Act must be an officer or employee of the State agency that employs the ex officio member or an individual with demonstrated expertise in the subject matter of the ex officio member's State agency. Effective immediately.

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1 AN ACT concerning State government.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Illinois Holocaust and Genocide Commission  
5 Act is amended by changing Sections 10, 20, and 30 as follows:

6 (20 ILCS 5010/10)

7 (Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2021)

8 Sec. 10. Composition of the Commission.

9 (a) The Commission is composed of 18 members as follows:

10 (1) 15 public members appointed by the Governor; and

11 (2) 3 ex officio members as follows:

12 (A) the State Superintendent of Education;

13 (B) the Executive Director of the Board of Higher  
14 Education; and

15 (C) the Director of Veterans' Affairs.

16 (b) The President and Minority Leader of the Senate shall  
17 each designate a member or former member of the Senate and the  
18 Speaker and Minority Leader of the House of Representatives  
19 shall each designate a member or former member of the House of  
20 Representatives to advise the Commission.

21 (Source: P.A. 96-1063, eff. 1-1-11.)

22 (20 ILCS 5010/20)

1 (Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2021)

2 Sec. 20. Ex officio members; eligibility; designation of  
3 representative.

4 (a) An ex officio member of the Commission vacates the  
5 person's position on the Commission if the person ceases to  
6 hold the position that qualifies the person for service on the  
7 Commission.

8 (b) An ex officio member may designate a representative to  
9 serve on the Commission in the member's absence. A  
10 representative designated under this subsection must be an  
11 officer or employee of the State agency that employs the ex  
12 officio member or an individual with demonstrated expertise in  
13 the subject matter of the ex officio member's State agency.

14 (Source: P.A. 96-1063, eff. 1-1-11.)

15 (20 ILCS 5010/30)

16 (Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2021)

17 Sec. 30. Term of public member.

18 (a) A public member of the Commission serves a term of 4  
19 years, except that the terms of the initial members shall  
20 expire on February 1, 2015. Following the expiration of the  
21 terms of the initial members of the Commission, the appointing  
22 authority may re-appoint initial members as follows:

23 (1) five members to terms that expire February 1, 2016;

24 (2) five members to terms that expire February 1, 2017;

25 and

1           (3) five members to terms that expire February 1, 2018.  
2           Notwithstanding subsection (c) of this Section, initial  
3           members re-appointed to terms that expire on February 1, 2016  
4           or February 1, 2017 may be appointed to a 4-year term following  
5           expiration of their re-appointment.

6           (b) A public member is eligible for reappointment to  
7 another term or part of a term.

8           (c) A public member may not serve more than 2 consecutive  
9 full terms. For purposes of this prohibition, a member is  
10 considered to have served a full term only if the member has  
11 served more than half of a 4-year ~~the~~ term.

12           (Source: P.A. 96-1063, eff. 1-1-11.)

13           Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon  
14 becoming law.